

#5-0360

PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 2356.0011-01

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
)
Marc ALIZON et al.) Group Art Unit: 1648
)
Application No.: 10/076,370) Examiner: Not Assigned
)
Filed: February 19, 2002)
)
For: A VARIANT OF LAV VIRUSES)
)

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, DC 20231

OFFICE OF INITIAL PATENT EXAMINATION

Sir:

REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

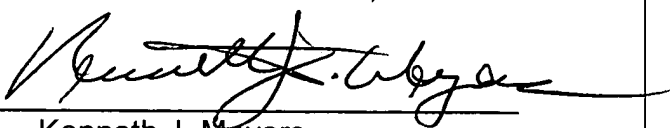
We are forwarding herewith a copy of a Filing Receipt for the above-identified patent application. The errors are in the third applicant's residence information and the number of formal drawings filed and are shown in ink on the attached copy. Applicant Simon Wain-Hobson's residence should read --Montigny Les Bretonneux, FRANCE-- and the amount of formal drawings filed are --34--.

It is respectfully requested that a corrected Filing Receipt be issued as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW,
GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

By:


Kenneth J. Meyers
Reg. No. 25,146

Dated: May 8, 2002

FINNEGAN
HENDERSON
FARABOW
GARRETT &
DUNNER LLP

1300 I Street, NW
Washington, DC 20005
202.408.4000
Fax 202.408.4400
www.finnegan.com



1 MAY 08 2002
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

KIM RMM

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231
www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING DATE	GRP ART UNIT	FIL FEE REC'D	ATTY. DOCKET NO	DRAWINGS	TOT CLAIMS	IND CLAIMS
10/076,370	02/19/2002	1648	740	2356-0011-10000	33 34	6	1

CONFIRMATION NO. 2811

22852

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW, GARRETT &
DUNNER LLP
1300 I STREET, NW
WASHINGTON, DC 20005

RECEIVED

APR 29 2002

FILING RECEIPT



OC000000007945809

Date Mailed: 04/24/2002

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON,
FARABOW, GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Filing Receipt Corrections, facsimile number 703-746-9195. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the USPTO processes the reply to the Notice, the USPTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

Applicant(s)

Marc Alizon, Paris, FRANCE;
Pierre Sonigo, Paris, FRANCE;
Simon Wain-Hobson, Montigny Les Bretonneux, UNITED KINGDOM;
Luc Montagnier, Le Plessis Robinson, FRANCE;

FRANCE

Assignment For Published Patent Application

Institut Pasteur;

Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

THIS APPLICATION IS A DIV OF 09/328,438 06/09/1999
WHICH IS A CON OF 09/041,975 03/13/1998
WHICH IS A CON OF 08/471,474 06/06/1995 PAT 5,824,482
WHICH IS A CON OF 08/154,397 11/18/1993 PAT 5,773,602
WHICH IS A CON OF 07/988,530 12/10/1992 ABN
WHICH IS A CON OF 07/656,797 02/19/1991 ABN
WHICH IS A DIV OF 07/038,330 04/13/1987 PAT 5,030,714

Foreign Applications

FRANCE 86401380.0 06/23/1986

If Required, Foreign Filing License Granted 04/24/2002

Projected Publication Date: To Be Determined - pending completion of Sequence Disclosures

DCY
4/29/02
JF

Non-Publication Request: No

Early Publication Request: No

Title

Variant of LAV viruses

Preliminary Class

435

**LICENSE FOR FOREIGN FILING UNDER
Title 35, United States Code, Section 184
Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, 5.11 & 5.15**

GRANTED

The applicant has been granted a license under 35 U.S.C. 184, if the phrase "IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED" followed by a date appears on this form. Such licenses are issued in all applications where the conditions for issuance of a license have been met, regardless of whether or not a license may be required as set forth in 37 CFR 5.15. The scope and limitations of this license are set forth in 37 CFR 5.15(a) unless an earlier license has been issued under 37 CFR 5.15(b). The license is subject to revocation upon written notification. The date indicated is the effective date of the license, unless an earlier license of similar scope has been granted under 37 CFR 5.13 or 5.14.

This license is to be retained by the licensee and may be used at any time on or after the effective date thereof unless it is revoked. This license is automatically transferred to any related applications(s) filed under 37 CFR 1.53(d). This license is not retroactive.

The grant of a license does not in any way lessen the responsibility of a licensee for the security of the subject matter as imposed by any Government contract or the provisions of existing laws relating to espionage and the national security or the export of technical data. Licensees should apprise themselves of current regulations especially with respect to certain countries, of other agencies, particularly the Office of Defense Trade Controls, Department of State (with respect to Arms, Munitions and Implements of War (22 CFR 121-128)); the Office of Export Administration, Department of Commerce (15 CFR 370.10 (j)); the Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department of Treasury (31 CFR Parts 500+) and the Department of Energy.

NOT GRANTED

No license under 35 U.S.C. 184 has been granted at this time, if the phrase "IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED" DOES NOT appear on this form. Applicant may still petition for a license under 37 CFR 5.12, if a license is desired before the expiration of 6 months from the filing date of the application. If 6 months has lapsed from the filing date of this application and the licensee has not received any indication of a secrecy order under 35 U.S.C. 181, the licensee may foreign file the application pursuant to 37 CFR 5.15(b).